ONE CENT.



11 you have friends visiting you, or if you are going away on a visit, please drop us a note to that effect.

Prof. Hayes Thomas is in Lexington today

Mrs. Fannie Hays is spending a few days in

Mr. Garrett Thompson has been on a visit to friends at Winchester.

Mrs. Laura Helmes is the guest of J. W. Lawwill and family at Vanceburg. Mr. Rees Davis, one of the best citizens of

Fleming county, was in the city yesterday.

Mrs. F. D. Hoy of Point Pleasant, W. Va., has returned home after a visit to her mother. Mrs. C. E. Lewis.

IN If you have an item of news, please call up THE LEDGER, Telephone 33, and send it in.

Pure Pepper and Sage at Chenoweth's Drugstore.

daily at Martin Bros.

Democrats of Ashland are considering the starting of a newspaper.

Special Sale of Millinery at remarkably low prices at Mrs. L. V. Davis's all

week. The Covington Water-works last year yielded a net profit to the city of about \$40,000.

The Rev. E. L. Powell of Louisville has closed a successful revival meeting at

Paducah. Don't fail to see Henry W. Ray's stock

of Xmas goods; also a complete line of fancy and toilet articles. There are three applicants taking the Civil Service leason today for Letter Car-

rier and Postoffice Clerk. R. H. Stevenson, founder of The Gretna Green of Aberdeen, is lying very

ill at his home in Manchester. Lieutenant-Governor W. J. Worthing-

ton is filling the Executive Chair in the absence of Governor Bradley. The building of a new shoe factory, to

be known as the Standard Shoe Company, is on foot at Portsmouth.

meet on Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock in Ashland and Catlettsburg combined! the study of Rev. Mr. Trotter at the First Baptist Church.

Miss Allie Hanna, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John R. Hanna of Irenton, mention of whose illness has been made in this paper, died Wednesday of lung trouble.

At the meeting of Washington Fire Company last night a vote of thanks was Telephone 33. extended to Mr. R. A. Cochran for the gift of six torches, and to Mr. R. R. Frost for securing the gift.

The total internal revenue collections in this District for the month of November show an increase of about \$12,000 over the collections of October and of ment for the erection of the Widows and \$27,280 05 over November 1895.

Governor Bradley has appointed Dr. Tampa, Fla., January 20th, to discuss falls ill the doctor's pay is stopped until visits during the three menths of occumeasures for defending the South At- the patient recovers. lantic and Mexican Gulf coasts.

fire at the residence of Mr. John M. ried at Paris, where the young lady was the chimney; and in turn some jay yelled 21 years of age and the bride 17. "fire!" Then the bells rang and there was a commotion for as much as 4# minutes. Moral-Don't put coal on the fire.

Mrs. Margaret Flanagan died Thursday morning at the home of her husband, Mr. John Flanagan, near Mayslick, after a week's illness of kindey disease. She was 65 years of age, and leaves a husband and five children. The funeral took place this morning at the Mayslick Cath- another copy in asbestos wrapper. This elic Church, with burial at Washington. man is dead."

MAYSVILLE WEATHER.

What We May Expect For the Next Twenty-four Hours.

THE LEDGER'S WEATHER SIGNALS. White streamer-FAIR; Blue-BAIN OF SNOW :

With Black ABOVE-'twill WARMER If Black's BENEATH-OOLDER'twill

Unless Black's shown-no change The above forecasts are made for a eriod of thirty-six hours, ending at 8 o'clock p-morrowevening.

Sow the Seed by an advertisement in THE LEDGER if you want to reap a Har-

vest of Holiday Trade.

week in Trimmed Hats. MRS. L. V. DAVIS.

The Aberdeen K. of P.'s will entertain their friends with a supper on Thursday evening, December 31st.

There never was a better time to advertise than right now-nor a better local paper than THE LEDGER

I am receiving fancy New York Apples in carload lots. Stock fine, good keepers and prices reasonable. R. B. LOVEL.

Dr. Willis Green Craig was elected President of Center College at a meeting Fresh Bulk and Can Oysters received of the Board of Trustees held at Lexing

Mrs. Eliza H. Cummings, a wealthy weman of Hillsbore, O, committed sui cide at New York by jumping out of a mittee has accepted an invitation from sixth-story window.

It is estimated that throughout Kentucky within the past ten days not less than a half million people have been employed in hog killing.

Hen. J. B. Wilhoit of Grayson will be an applicant for the United States District Attorneyship of Kentucky. Mr. Wilhoit is the McKinley Elector for this District.

Gold Watches of all sizes and kinds, all nearranted to give entire satisfaction. My stock of Watches is the largest in the city. I have new reduced the prices on them second Sunday in this month. until they are the cheapest also. Don't want to carry them over Christmas.

P. J. MURPHY. Catlettsburg will in all probability make a fight against Ashland's being seleeted as the place of holding the United Federal Districts receives favorable consideration. Already plans to that effect are being consummated. And here stands old Maysville!-paying more than The Pastor's Union of this city will twice as much revenue to Uncle Sam as

#### Your Patronage Solicited

The Georgia Senate has rejected a bill to prevent the making of gold contracts. Lexington Lodge, I. O. O. F., has agreed to give \$1 per capits as an induce-

Hllen H. Edmonds.

Orphans Home there. A Chinese doctor is employed by the H. H. Lewis of Bath county to represent year to attend the family and keep its this District at a meeting to be held at members in good health When one first of September. The daily average

Mr. Ed. Thompson of Georgetown and Some one yesterday put coal on the Miss Mary Minor of Augusta were mar-Hunt. This caused smoke to issue from attending school. The groom is about

> Tomorrow morning will be the first anniversary of the Pastorate of Rev. I. P. Trotter at the First Baptist Church in this city, and a kind invitation has been and the Woman's Committee and subextended to the people to be present on committees held 7 meetings. Three letthis anniversary occasion.

A Postmaster in Iowa paid letter postage on returning a copy of The Western Penman to the publisher in Cedar Rapids. On the wrapper was written: "Forward

A determined effort is being made to have John B. Gaines, Postmaster at Bowling Green, removed on account of his activity in the last campaign

The wholesale grocers of Kentucky, Missouri, Kansas, Illinois, Iowa and Nebrasks will demand of the railways lower rates on sugar from New Orleans.

Reports from the plague which is raging n Barren county are anything but encouraging. The plague is known as the 'black crysipelas," and has been spreadng rapidly for the past few days. The State Board of Health has taken the matter in hand and will endeavor to stop the spreading of the disease.

Wanted. 5,000 fat Turkeys and all the fat Geese, Millinery-Attractive Offerings for this Ducks and Chickens I can get. Highest market price paid delivered in Maysville. R. B. LOVEL.

Y. M. C. A. NOTES.

Something of Interest to the Young Men of Maysville.

The committee having in charge the Sunday Men's Rally first intended to have tomorrow's service at the new rooms, with a special program of music and speaking, but inasmuch as the furnishings of the new parlors are not complete they have decided to postpone the original program one week, and instead of meeting in the association rooms the comthe Pastor and officials of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, to meet in their auditorium at the usual hour-3 o'clock. An address of special interest to the men will be given by Dr. Leftwich, and it is city are cordially invited to attend this service. The brief prayer-meeting announced last Sunday to be held tomorrow at 8:45 a. m. will also be postponed to the Residence....... No. 22 West Fourth street

The members of the Woman's Committee of the Y. M. C. A. are meeting with splendid success in their efforts to secure funds from the ladies of the city to be used toward the furnishing of the new States Court in case Congressman Pugh's association rooms. At the meeting held proposed bill to divide the state into two yesterday-the first regular monthly meeting held under the new rules adopted last month when the committee was organized-the canvassers reported \$18.85 more in collections, making a total of \$158 25 to date, and there are yet some to be seen. This money will be wisely used in the renting of a piano, the purchase of a carpet for reception room, furniture for parlor, also shades, towels, &c , and the cleaning of the rooms. The Rooms Committee is very busy attending to the above-named duties, and on Monday afternoon, when it meets again, at 2:30 o'clock, it is expected that most of its work will be arranged.

> Now that the Association has moved into its new quarters it will be interesting to review very briefly the good work accomplished in the old Y. M. C. A. Hall at the Cox Building, which was opened for use with reading matter, games, etc., the pancy were 50, and the record of the Sunday meeting shows an encouraging increase as follows: September, average 57; October, 61; November, 75. Many strangers from other cities and towns visited the hall during this short period. Visits to sick men 20. Directors and committees met on 27 different occasions, ters of introduction were given to young men leaving the city. One lecture was held in the Opera house, with an attendance of 170. Nearly 100 have signed thus far as members, and this will be largely increased within the next few weeks.

### **MAYSVILLE'S CHURCHES**

WILL BE HELD SUNDAY.



To insure attention all matter for this column should be sent in not later than 3 o'clock

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH. Rev. J. S. Hays, D.D., Pastor. 

Sunday-school 9:38 a.m.
Mission Sabbath-school in the German
Thurch at 2:30 p. m.
Westminster S. C. E. 6:15 p. m.
Weekly Prayer-meeting Thursday at 7:00

In the evening the congregation will unite with the Maysville and Mason County Bible Society in celebrating its seventy-fifth anniversary in the M. E. Church, Third street.

CENTRAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH. Rev. W. O. Cochrane, Pastor. . No. 4 East Fourt's street.

Sunday-school 9:00 a. m. Y. P. S. C. E. 6:00 p. m. Weekly Prayer-meeting Wednesday at 7:00

Preaching at 10:30 a. m. by the Pastor. At night the congregation will join in the service expected that the singing will be led by a at the M. E. Church, Third street, in celebrachorus of young men. The men of the ting the seventy-fifth anniversary of the Maysville and Mason County Bible Society.

> CHURCH OF THE NATIVITY. Rev. D. D. Chapin, Rector.

Sunday-school 9:30 a.m.
Prayer-meeting Friday at 7 p.m.
Morning Prayer, Sermon and Holy Com-nunion at 10:30.
Evening Prayer at 4 instead of 7 as hereto-

fore.
The offering in the morning will be for the Maysville and Mason County Bible Society. The Rector requests that books, pamphlets and papers belonging to him or the Church be

M. E. CHURCH. Residence. .. ... No. 208 West Second street. Sunday-school 9:15 a. m. Class Meeting 2 p. m. Epworth League 6:15 p. m. Prayer-meeting Thursday at 7:00 p. m. Preaching at 10:30 s. m. and 7:00 p. m.

M. E. CHURCH, SOUTH. Rev. J. S. Sims, Pastor. ......No. 216 West Second street Sunday-school 9:15 a. m. Epworth League 6:00 p. m. Prayer-meeting Thursday 7:00 p. m. Preaching at 10:30 s. m., and 7:00 p. m. The meeting at the M. E. Church, South, will continue over Sunday. The work done aiready is very gratifying to the church. Dr. Leftwich, who has been preaching such strong heart searching sermons during the week, will preach on Sunday at the usual hours. All invited. Everybody welcome.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH. Rev. L. P. Trotter, Pastor. Residence ... .... No. 19 West Fourth street Sunday-school 9:15 a. m. Young People's Meeting 6:00 p. m. Prayer-meeting Thursday 7:00 p. m. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7:00 p. m.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH. Rev. S. D. Dutcher, Pastor. Residence ...... Fourth and Cherry streets. Junior Endeavor at 8:45 a. m. Sunday-school 9:15 a. m. Y. P. S. C. E. 6 p. m. Prayer-meeting Thursday 7 p. m. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7 p. m.

ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH. Rev. Father A. T. Ennis, Paster. .....No. 304 Limestone street Early Mass 7 a. m. Children's Mass 8:30 a. m. High Mass 10 a. m. Sunday-school 2 p. m. Vespers and Benediction 3 p. m.

MITCHELL'S CHAPEL. Rev. U. W. Durlington, Pastor

Sunday-school 2:30 p. m. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:30 p. m. Prayer-meeting Thursday at 7:00 p. m. Class Meeting Tuesday at 7 p. m. Preaching first and third Sundays in each month. The Church is open every Sunday evening, however, for worship.

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#### FIREMEN'S ELECTION.

Col. M. C. Russell Again President of the Washingtons.

At the semi-annual election for officers of the Washington Fire Company last night these were chosen:

President-M. C. Russell. Vice-President-R. R. Frost. Secretary-C. W. McClanaban. Treasurer-G. W. Geisel. Messenger-Charles H. Frank Chairman Standing Committee-Joseph

Chief of Hose-Chris. D. Russell. Director W. S. Bridges-George Din-

Director Simon Kenton-Thomas Lally. Directors Hook and Ladder-R. H. Newell, First; Joseph Brown, Second.

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#### REMOVED THE OBSTRUCTION.

And the Bright Workman "Removed" the Machine Also.

Bourbon county recently purchased free turnpikes.

T'other day one of the wheels was stopped by an obstruction.

A bright workman undertook to re move the aforesaid obstruction with dynamite

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The obstruction was removed. And the fragments of the machine have most all been gathered up and sent to Lexington, where a lot of doctors are en-

gaged in trying to find where the pieces

Sousa's Contemplated Visit. Of course, everybody will go to Sousa's concerts. Sousa is real, -Sousa is genuine and his fame is not built on quicksands. Sousa is an American. He was born within sight of our great National Capitol, his life has been spent in Americs, and his great life work is being ac-

complished in this country. America is

his home, and Sousa is proud of his coun-

try, as America is proud of Sousa. Not many years have passed since Sousa made his debut, and still there is not a hamlet in the far distant corners of the United States that does not know of his

His visit to this city on his great trans continental tour will be hailed with delight. In addition to his magnificent band he will introduce two charming artists-Mrs. Elizabeth Northrop, soprano, and Miss Martina Johnstone, the Swedish violinist.

The Sousa airs fell on the ears of the Chinese Army in their retreat from the flying column of the Emperor of Japan, and so it is in whatever clime one visits. Sousa, is indeed, inescapable.

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